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PATENT  
Attorney Docket No. 7330\*1

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of: )  
Paul C. HASSSLER )  
Serial No.: 09/549,002 ) Group Art Unit: 3671  
Filed: April 14, 2000 ) Examiner: Kristine M. Markovich  
For: REPLACEABLE, REUSABLE COLLAR )  
THAT TEMPORARILY PROTECTS )  
ROADWAY STRUCTURES )

**Commissioner for Patents**  
**P.O. Box 1450**  
**Alexandria, VA 22313-1450**

Sir:

**PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME**

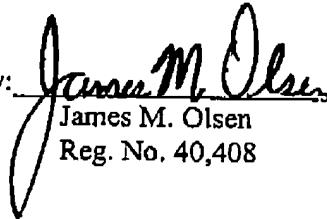
Applicant hereby petitions for a two-month extension of time to respond to the Office Action of December 12, 2002. A fee of \$205.00 is enclosed. If there are any other fees due in connection with the filing of this response, please charge the fees to our Deposit Account No. 03-2775. If a fee is required for an extension of time under 37 C.F.R. § 1.136 not accounted for above, such an extension is requested and the fee should also be charged to our Deposit Account.

Respectfully submitted,

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Dated: May 12, 2003

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